GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a group of India Hydrocarbon Vision-2025 was constituted on March 31, 1999;

(b) if so, whether the Group had constituted a sub-group on development and utilisation of natural gas and LNG etc;

(c) if so, the details of points discussed in the meeting of the sub-group during 1999; and

(d) the progress made so far by the sub-group on the development and commercialisation of coal liquefication and gasification process?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The Sub-Group submitted its report in November, 1999 to the Group on India Hydrocarbon Vision-2025, giving recommendations on various issues including gas availability, import of gas through transnational pipelines, import of liquefied natural gas (LNG), alternative technologies like coal gasification etc.

(d) The Sub-Group has no role to play after the submission of its report to the Group on India Hydrocarbon Vision-2025.